

It is not more than fifteen years since the silk growers of Cervernes, France, were spinning their own cocoons, and they were in a prosperous condition. We might do the same here; every farmer, for the sum five or ten dollars, might put up a spinning wheel. His sixteen year old daughter run it; a ten or twelve year old girl could tend the reel, and in three weeks they will run off four to six—then eight to ten ounces*per day of yellow or white cocoons of good quality. There we have three pounds per week. I will not put the price at \$12 per pound, which was the price offered me

most instances fully healed over, the girding seemed to produce the same effect on me as it did on the first year. —Amherst (Mass.) Transcript.

and place where the rats can get putting a dish of water close by. This does not kill the rats, but it makes them soon disappear." We once tried at home, and from that time no rat mouse has been seen or heard in the house. The first night the four pieces of bread that had been put here and there were all eaten. The next night one of the four had been eaten and another nibbled. The third night no piece had been touched, and so again the fourth night. The rats had evidently gone, and not one of them has since been heard of, and none of them had ever died on the premises.

the labor. So I shall never again attempt to grow this vegetable on common garden soil, without some cheap and easy method of irrigation. Market gardeners generally understand this.

Young man, don't you try the henker-sled flitting, or the hat flitting, or any other code of signals of that kind, because some stalwart old gentleman may make you acquainted with the boot flitting, and if one of those double-soled, square-heeled No. 1s should get to flitting around your coat tails, you will think you are signalled by a locomotive with a gravel train behind it.—
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